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## Canadian News

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### TORONTO TIDINGS

Mrs. Norman Gladow and children left for their home in Hamilton on April 27th, after visiting relatives and friends here since Good Friday.

Mr. George W. Reeves has not forgotten those who helped him most to run the *Deaf Canadian* in years gone by. On April 21st, he dropped into "Mora Glen" and presented the writer with two neatly bound volumes of the *Deaf Canadian*. One is of the period when it was originally started, and the other is of the kind when its size was enlarged. Mr. Roberts never expected such a reward and feels doubly grateful to our genial George for remembering him. George was an interesting chap at our conference.

The writer desires to heartily thank Mr. Norman V. Lewis, of Los Angeles, Cal., for a beautiful photo taken at his very lovely home on March 30th last, on the occasion of his 78th birthday. The party was tendered him by his warm personal friends, and in the group can be seen, besides Mrs. Lewis and himself, the following:—Mrs. Back, Mrs. Dahl, Miss Kent, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. S. Wells (aged 84), Mrs. Rev. C. E. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Glenford, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Lett, Mr. D. E. Moran, all of Los Angeles; Mrs. Sylvia C. Balis, late of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Lett, of Carp, Ont., and Mrs. Howe, of Detroit. We wish Mr. Lewis many more happy returns of the day.

At time of writing, Mr. John S. Bartley, of Long Branch, is now in the General hospital here, waiting to undergo an operation, if deemed necessary.

Miss Gladys Blais, who went down to Belleville for the Easter vacation, reports a very nice time, but on the homeward trip, the bus, in which she was a passenger, came near figuring in a serious accident near Scarborough, but the driver's careful judgment saved the situation.

Miss Edna Egginton and hers-to-be motored down to Belleville on April 19th, to see the former's brother, Victor, and other friends at their Alma Mater.

After attending our Bible Conference, Mrs. George A. Dickson, of Fraserburg, spent a few days with her two daughters, the Misses Gertrude and Laura Dickson, who work in this city. Mrs. Dickson called on several of her old schoolmates here ere she left for her home in the highlands of Ontario.

Mr. Colin McLean was to have addressed our Bible Class on April 23d, on the life of Elisha, but as he failed to turn up, Mr. H. W. Roberts stepped into the breach and spoke on why troubled hearts are a hindrance in God's way.

After the close of our Bible Conference, Miss Clara Hartley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jones back to their home in Palgrave, where she spent a little while before returning to her home in Milton.

### OUR BIBLE CONFERENCE

The conference got under way Good Friday afternoon with a large crowd present. After signing the doxology and reading the lesson by Mr. Byrne, a custom that preceded each meeting, Superintendent W. R. Watt, opened with prayer. Miss Carrie Brethour was not able to give the opening hymn, so Mrs. Henry Whealy and Mrs. H. W. Roberts charmed every one with the duet, "Saviour, More than Life to Me."

Mr. Watt welcomed all in words full of cordiality, warmth and encouragement, beckoning all to feel themselves at home during the three days' meeting. Then the junior choir most effectively rendered "Praise Thy Saviour," that was a treat to behold. The following took part in this beautiful rendition: The Misses Edna and Gwendolyn Egginton, Erna Sole, Alma Brown, Norma Smith and Dorothy Baillie. A short, but very inspiring address was then given by Fred Terrell, Miss Ada James, of Belleville, followed, with a

hymn, "While We Were yet Sinners, Christ Died for Us." Her motional gestures were very inspiring. Mr. Charles Elliott closed this session with a strong and forceful address that was most uplifting.

At 5:30 the whole assemblage repaired to the basement to enjoy a good and hearty meal, after which all assembled again at 7:30 o'clock for another session, and after the opening formalities were gone on with, Miss Ada James again captured all eyes as she slowly and symmetrically rendered "Take up Thy Cross and follow me." Next came Mr. Colin McLean's very touching helpful sermon, inviting all to come and share the sweetness of His grace.

A duet by Mesdames F. E. Harris and F. E. Doyle, "Can it be Me," was a great and soul-touching inspiration.

Mr. J. R. Byrne followed with a wonderful address on "Believing and Trusting," which for the time being drew all hearts to Christ as one. By request, Miss James then rendered "Look unto Me and be Saved," that was one of the best of

### WATERLOO WEE BITS

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Patterson, of Galt, have returned from a week's visit in Toronto during Easter.

Mrs. John A. Moynihan returned home on April 22d, after a few days spent very pleasantly with relatives and friends in Brantford.

Clarence, son of Mr. James Goodbrand, of Paris, is now running a large transport truck and boards in Kitchener.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Patterson, of Galt, first saw the light of day on February 16th last.

Now that Mrs. Hagen has returned home from the Freeport hospital, the Hagen household is now complete, amid happy surroundings.

### BORDER BREEZES

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sigler, of Pontiac, and Mrs. John Berry, of Royal Oak, were guests of the Ribberdys in Detroit on April 19th. Mrs. Sadows and Mrs. Matry also dropped in to enjoy the social chat.

Mr. Mack White, of Detroit, enjoyed the Easter holidays with his mother and sister in Stratford, Ont.

Work in all the border automobile factories are not as brisk just now as many surmise, and as a result, quite a number of our deaf friends are temporarily laid off, among whom are Messrs. Albert Hodgins and Clifford Hunter of the Chrysler Motors Co. Hope better times will soon pick up.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Charbonneau, of Riverside, seem to be very popular as entertainers, judging by the numerous housewarming parties they have had of late. The other Sunday a large bunch of Detroit associates foregathered at the beautiful Charbonneau home for a social time, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Laporte and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gerow, Mr. and Mrs. Sisson and daughter, Mr. Bernard J. Schlitch, a nephew and a friend, and a good time had they.

Mr. Thompson, of Walkerville, has secured a position at the Ford motor plant as a handy helper.

Mrs. Christine Lequille, who passed on to the Shining Portals in Detroit on April 15th, was the wife of Mr. Gilbert Lequille, who was a former pupil at the Belleville school and a schoolmate of the writer. His sister, Marie, now Mrs. J. Gagne, of Detroit, was also at Belleville at the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ribberdy, of Detroit, were in Royal Oak lately and gave the Berrys and Isacons the customary pleasant call. The Ribberdys also gave the Hardenbergs and other old acquaintances in Pontiac the same greeting on another occasion. The Hardenbergs are doing fine in that city.

### BRANTFORD BULLETINS

Miss Louise Sutton, of St. George, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutton over Good Friday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Lloyd and children were among those from this city who attended the Bible Conference in Toronto, and report a lovely time.

Mrs. J. A. Moynihan, of Water-

loo, was down in our midst over Easter, a guest of the Suttons and others. While here, a number of the deaf called to see her.

During the recent lay-up of Mr. Howard J. Lloyd, that caused his absence, our weekly services at the Y. M. C. A. remained uninterrupted throughout, thanks to the untiring efforts of Harry Braven and others.

### BRIGHTON BRIGHTLIGHTS

Mr. Thomas W. Daud has gone to Belleville, where he has accepted a position at his Alma Mater as farming instructor, and likes it very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gerow, of Peterboro, accompanied by the White family, of Bowdley, motored down to see the Gerow children at the Belleville School on Good Friday, whom they found doing splendidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Parker and daughter, Jean, were recently visiting the Ball brothers in Baltimore, but found Mrs. Lisgar Ball had gone to her parental home, in Dunnville. Mr. Parker has sold his farm at Colborne and had a stock sale on February 4th, last, and he is now negotiating for another place.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Warner and children have moved from Grafton, and are now living in Cobourg, to which place they moved on March 1st, and like the change very much. Mr. Warner now works for Mr. Hunt, a well-known meat merchant.

Mr. Ephraim Brooks, of Brighton, has been made extra happy since the Old-Age Pension Board has been paying him his monthly stipend, in addition to the quota he receives from the Toronto Institution of the Blind.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McKenzie came up from Belleville one Sunday lately and visited the White family at Bowdley and had a delightful time. Angus is still employed at the O. S. D., while Mrs. McKenzie, to while away her time, works in the Belleville laundry, where she has been since last fall.

Mrs. Ball's sister, Miss Sylvia Foster, who has been at the Ball home the past winter accompanied them to her old home on Lake Erie.

On February 8th last, Mr. James H. Hartwick of Napanee, married Miss Agnes Milligan of Peterboro, at the home of her brother in the "Lift Lock City" in the presence of a few near relatives. Immediately afterwards the happy couple left for their future home in Napanee to live with the groom's aged mother.

A painful accident befell our friend, Mr. Andrew Alexander, of Brighton, lately. Being engaged by Dr. Rundell to work on the latter's farm, Andrew was riding on a load of manure when his team shied at a Toronto delivery truck and bolted throwing Andrew off on the highway pavement. On being picked up it was found he had badly injured his hip, necessitating the use of crutches. At time of writing he is visiting relatives in Hastings.

### SARNIA SAVINGS

Mr. Frank Henderson, of Talbotville, enjoyed the Easter holidays very pleasantly with his brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jontie Henderson. Frank is naturally in love with Sarnia.

Mrs. Jack J. Smith, sister of Thomas F. Bissell, accompanied by three sons and daughter, enjoyed the Easter recess with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith in Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. Albert Leckie, brother of Mrs. John Mackie, of Dresden, and of Miss Alice Leckie, of Detroit, was happily married to Miss Emma Lomslone on April 9th, in the presence of the immediate families of both parties.

The shower that was accorded to Mrs. Albert Leckie on April 19th was a brilliant affair, with bunco games as the main attraction after the focus following the presentations to the bride had subsided. Mr. Gilbert Leckie won the leading prize, while his new daughter-in-law came trailing behind. A lovely lunch followed.

After spending a week with her parents, helping in the house cleaning, John Mackie and son returned to their home in Dresden on April 20th, with her husband who came up for the day.

### ST. WILLIAMS SIFTINGS

On Sunday morning, April 19th, Mr. Russell Groves, of Ingersoll, motored over to Walsh, and picking up Miss Florence Davis, continued on to this place, where they spent the day very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Woodward, returning home the same evening.

Mr. James Chambers, of Silver Hill, was a recent Sunday visitor at the Woodwards. He is still working on the forestry farm and likes it fine.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

## SEATTLE

Rev. G. Gaertner preached one of his impressive sermons on Easter Sunday afternoon at three o'clock to a large congregation of deaf people. Miss Annie Kingdon responded, Mrs. Emily Eaton signed a song and the three ladies, Mrs. W. E. Brown, Mrs. W. S. Root and Mrs. Claude Ziegler, all together gave a beautiful Easter carol in signs. Communion was partaken by the members. Easter lilies, cut daffodils and narcissus adorned the platform.

Before the service was started, Shirley and Harold, small children of Mrs. Nancy Dunn, were baptized, with Mrs. Jack Bertram and Mrs. Pauline Gustin as witnesses.

In Tacoma Easter morning, Mrs. A. Miller, Mrs. J. Manly, P. Bedford and Franklin Carter were confirmed into the Lutheran Church before nearly all of the Tacoma deaf. This makes thirty members, and places Tacoma third in number of members in the northwest. Seattle leads first, Portland second, and Spokane fourth.

Mrs. George Riley, of Victoria, B. C., and her young daughter, Kathleen, came down to Seattle for the Easter vacation. While the guest of her people at their new lovely home of eight rooms on 41st near the Bradmoor golf links, Mrs. Riley was the honor guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. True Partridge at her home.

Other guests were Mrs. N. C. Garrison, Miss Genevieve Sink, Miss Gould, Little Kathleen Riley and the writer. Mrs. Riley also took luncheon with Mrs. Jack Bertram and dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Bodley. The day after her arrival in Seattle she attended the Wrights' bridge party which was in her honor. Mrs. Claire Reeves and J. C. Howard won first prizes for highest scores.

Mrs. Riley attended the Easter service at the church of Our Redeemer. Kathleen, the only child of the Riley family, is ten years old and tall for her age. She leads her class in all of her studies. Aren't you mighty proud of her, Mr. and Mrs. Riley?

John Skoglund, of Spokane, and his mother-in-law drove to Vancouver in his new DeSoto sedan and after a good visit with the Hunters and Divines, motored up to his mother's home near Tacoma. Mr. Skoglund called on the Reeves, dropped in the Root's printing office, and saw A. W. Wright at the *Post-Intelligencer*. He accompanied True Partridge to his home for dinner and a good chat, and the next morning he returned home.

Mrs. Emily Eaton's home was the scene of gayety with fifteen ladies present for the monthly luncheon, April 10th. Mrs. Eaton's sister, of Tacoma, was there and she helped decorate the dining table beautifully. The eats were abundant and excellent. Mrs. Claire Reeves and Mrs. John Bodley won first and booby prizes in cootie, and Mrs. A. K. Waugh and Mrs. Pauline Gustin in whist. Mrs. John Adams brought her young son to the gathering. On his way from Santa Barbara, Herbert Adams stopped for a few days with his parents in Renton and went to Victoria, B. C., where he is working as an automatic operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Reeves are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a granddaughter. Their married daughter, Alice, announced the birth of a 6½ pound-baby April 17th. Name is Emma Adelia Shoalwater.

Miss Izora Clark, daughter of M. J. Clark was married April 12th, to Ernie Nelson, a stationery engineer of the Puget Sound Light Power Co.

Miss Marion Bertram was chosen lieutenant-colonel at the University of Washington on Campus Day. It is a great compliment as they usually select sorority girls.

Milo Root hiked fourteen miles to Bothell and visited his uncle and his charming aunt for a few days during Easter.

Eddie Garrison spent Easter vacation with his grandparents on Canino Island.

Mrs. Jack Bertram had a very pleasant visit from her father of Portland, Ore., for a few days.

Mrs. N. C. Garrison's mother was in Seattle for a week recently, visiting her and other relatives. She is fine and healthy, considering when she nearly lost her life after two operations were performed on her a year ago. The Garrisons worked hard to save her and the third operation helped her wonderfully. Her weight is now 160, when it was ninety.

True Partridge and his two daughters, Mabel and Jane, were recently immersed at the Christian Church in the University district. Mrs. Partridge has been a member of this church since she was a little girl at the age of twelve.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frederickson, of Everett, enjoyed the Easter service by Rev. G. W. Gaertner and went with Mrs. N. C. Garrison to her home for dinner. They did not leave till ten o'clock.

Miss Marie Eggers, a young graduate of the Nebraska school, is in town stopping with her aunt. We hope she will find a position here. She was in Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnson and also in Spokane. She says everybody there calls Jim O'Leary "Daddy."

There was a picture of Mrs. Victoria Smith in the daily paper with Chief of Police Forbes and some employees of the Goodwill Industries. It showed the public what this company was doing. Mr. Forbes is our W. E. Brown's cousin.

At the P. S. A. D. there was an exciting debate about dry and wet, between J. T. Bodley and M. J. Clark. Their aids were J. C. Howard and LeRoy Bradbury. Claire Reeves is the president of this club, and Mrs. Jack Bertram is the chairman of the program committee. She is square and fair to everybody.

LeRoy Bradbury, for men, and Mrs. John Bodley, for women, won first prizes at the Thursday social April 10th, and the next week there was no social, on account of Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright have announced the engagement of their daughter, Vivian, to Mr. Barney Moe. They will be married in August.

April 25, 1930.

## GALLAUDET COLLEGE

The Literary Society held a meeting in Chapel Hall on Friday evening, April 1st, at seven-thirty. The meeting was under the sponsorship of the Senior Class. The following program was given:—

Reading—"A Source of Irritation" Henry Holter  
Declaration—"Sempronius's Speech Before the Roman Senate" Chas. Joselow  
Debate—"Resolved that this prevalence of book censorship is doing more harm than good."  
Affirmative—Morton Rosenfeld.  
Negative—Anthony Hajna.

After the program was over, a short informal dance and social was held in the Young Men's Refectory. Although the night was very sultry, everybody had a nice time.

A play was held in Chapel Hall on Saturday evening, May 2d, at eight o'clock. They play was given for the benefit of the *Buff and Blue*, which has been low in funds. The program was as follows:—

The Boy of One Thousand Faces H. T. Hofstetter, '30  
Apple Guggling William Grinnell, '32  
"Six-Gun Sawyer" (monologue) P. C.  
"Casey's Revenge" Seth Crockett, P. C.  
The Pow-Wow Einar Rosenkjar, '31  
George Lynch, '33; Harold Larsen, '33  
In Defense of His Fair Lady  
Tilden and Wills. Anthony Hajna, '30  
Leonard Lau, '30, and Theodore Brickley, '30  
"Ten Little Motorists" Morton Rosenfeld, '30  
"The Last Rehearsal"—One-act play O'Brien, '32; Carlson, '33; Larsen, '33; Mossel, '33; Crammatte, '33; Lynch, '33; Miller, '33; Morrill, '33; Ringle, '33; Wurdeman, '33; Curtis, '33.

The program was quite interesting, especially the last few numbers, the play was funny enough to make the audience sit up and take notice, in spite of the fact that the majority of those present were in a regular Saturday-night mood. We believe it is safe to say that the program was quite a success.

GENEVA FLORENCE.

## Florida Flashes

Alfred L. Brown, president of the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind at St. Augustine, was the principal speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Jacksonville Exchange Club at the George Washington Hotel on Wednesday noon, April 9th. One of the Jacksonville dailies printed in part the following:—

"Mr. Brown, describing the work at the St. Augustine institution, explained that a deaf child reaching the school at the age of six years has no language. The same is true when boys and girls of 15 or 16 years of age are received by the school. These children, he said, must have a language by which they can be taught. The use of the oral system, speaking with the lips and reading the lips, is employed, he continued, and the child gradually acquires a vocabulary."

Before leaving for St. Augustine in the afternoon, Mr. Brown extended a cordial invitation to members of the club to inspect the school buildings and see how the work of educating the deaf is being accomplished.

Miss Betty C. Wright, secretary of the American Federation of organizations for the hard of hearing, was instrumental in forming an organization at Jacksonville last month. She stated that in the United States there are seventy-six organizations for the hard of hearing, forty-six of which are affiliated with the national federation. Before returning north, Miss Wright visited the state school for the deaf at St. Augustine for the purpose of finding if she could improve the condition those with impaired hearing.

Mrs. Leon P. Jones and little daughter are expecting to be away all summer from Florida, visiting their folks and friends in and around Tiffin, Ohio. Leon, who is employed in Eustis, will stay behind for the time being.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Benedict and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Witschief returned home to Godeffroy, N. Y., on April 21st, after a most delightful winter season they spent in Orlando. The former couple own a winter home in Florida and another in New York and divide their visits during the seasons. The Benedicts are planning an extensive trip to the Middle West, visiting Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit and Chicago, while the Witschiefs will spend the heated season in Chicago with their daughter. As usual, they will return to Orlando in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Randall, formerly of Winter Park, are now bona-fide residents of Philadelphia, and in their letters to their friends in Florida, the tell of their delight with the "City of Brotherly Love."

Mr. Randall has secured a position with a large printing concern there, on a night shift, and the permanency of his situation seems assured.

Albert Holloway, of Orlando, availed himself of a lull in the printing activities by hieing to Alabama early last April, where he spent a few days calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Wortman are back in St. Petersburg from Fort Pierce, where they spent the Easter week with their daughter.

Walter Dean had the misfortune to suffer from injuries to his arm and hand while employed at the Florence Villa packing house. As a consequence, Mr. Dean, accompanied by his wife, is spending the period of convalescence in the country on the outskirts of St. Cloud.

F. E. P.

## Houseworker Wanted

A hearing daughter of deaf parents, desires a girl for position as houseworker. Must be willing, neat, and sleep in. Write to Apt. 6A, 985 Park Place, Brooklyn, N. Y. 18-37

## The New Saskatchewan School

Interest in the new Saskatchewan School for the Deaf has been renewed lately, due to the fact that the excavation work on the site has been completed, and contractors are waiting for the opportunity to make a bid on the constructional part of the building program. Up to this date (April 19) tenders have not been called. Press dispatches recently carried the statement made by Hon. Howard McConnell, K.C., provincial treasurer, to the effect that the drafting of the plans for the school had been delayed for a time on account of three government draughtsmen resigning to accept better positions elsewhere.

The preliminary sketches were checked up by R. J. D. Williams, chairman of the Sask. committee of Western Canada Association of the Deaf, during the month of February, at the request of Mr. Dawson, the new government architect, and his consulting architect, Mr. Frank P. Martin, of Saskatoon, Sask. Mr. Williams was informed that it was the government's desire to build economically, and yet put up the most modern school possible for the appropriation in mind. The preliminary sketches gave the impression that the school will possess the most up-to-date facilities, and taking all in all will outbid the other schools in Canada for its arrangement of layout. It, however, will not be built on the cottage plan. Fuller details concerning the building, its accommodation, etc., may be published later on, as the present time is too early to comment on these matters.

The school will be very fortunate in its site—for on the north and west (front) sides it will be bordered by seven rows of trees planted some years ago by the experimental branch of the agricultural college, University of Saskatchewan.

The reason for the lack of news concerning the Saskatchewan school is that the people connected have been busy. It may surprise many to learn that a change of location and in plans almost took place prior to January 18th. Only the gathering together of a committee, composed of Mr. Geo. M. Donald, chief of police, Saskatoon; Mrs. Geo. Hollis, Shaunavon, Sask., former president of the United Farmers of Canada women's section, and Mr. R. J. D. Williams, with Mr. W. Needham as interpreter, and meeting the Cabinet Ministers in Regina on the 18th of January, averted what would have meant a disastrous future for the education of Saskatchewan's deaf.

Premier J. T. M. Anderson used very good judgment when he put the committee members at ease by announcing decisively during the meeting that the school would be built near the university at Saskatoon as formerly announced. The suggested change of plans under consideration previous to the Premier's decision would have been to build several small schools accommodating about fifteen children under the charge of one teacher and a house-mother. These schools would, the suggestion said, be scattered over the province. Further discussion on this is unnecessary since every well-educated person can see the weakness of such a plan.

Premier Anderson, who also holds the portfolio of minister of education, has advised us that no superintendent has been appointed as yet and none will be for some time. The writer is of the opinion that the government wishes to wait until the new Civil Service Commission begins to operate, before any appointments to the staff are made. This commission will begin to operate on June 1st of this year. Premier Anderson also stated that Canadians would be given preference wherever possible.

Deaf persons desiring to apply for positions on the staff should write to Premier J. T. M. Anderson, Legislative Building, Regina, Sask. They should make sure that they have the necessary qualifications for the position they apply for.

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Whenever wrong is done  
To the humblest and the weakest  
'Neath the all-beholding sun,  
That wrong is also done to us,  
And they are slaves most base,  
Whose love of right is for themselves,  
And not for all the race."

Notice concerning the whereabouts of individuals will be charged at the rate of ten cents a line.

### Virginia Butler Gallaudet

THE DEATH of Miss Virginia Butler Gallaudet on Thursday, May 1st, removes from the world a woman who has been a good and consistent friend of deaf-mutes—youthful and aged, rich or poor, mentally brilliant or of ordinary intellect. Her helpful influence was voluntarily and cheerfully extended to the people whose path is obstructed by the misfortune of being deaf.

It might be said that she inherited fame from her grandfather, Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet, who founded the first school for the education of the deaf in America, and from his son, her father, Rev. Thomas Gallaudet, founder of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, founder of the Gallaudet Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf-Mutes, at Wappinger's Falls, which operates under the incorporated society, known as the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes, which he instituted to carry the comforts of religion to the homes of a widely scattered class of people.

The fame of her forebears and the wealth of mind and heart, which throughout their lives was devoted to the uplift of the deaf, conferred an acknowledged distinction upon the name of Gallaudet; but she became famous for the disinterested helpfulness and unassuming friendliness that marked her as a worthy descendant of an eminent grandfather and a true daughter who exerted faithfulness and talent in the work of religion and charity that characterized the life of Rev. Thomas Gallaudet.

For nearly thirty years that elapsed since the death of her father she had been the interpreter of pulpit orators at churches and mixed assemblages concerned with the progress and prosperity of the "children of silence."

About three years ago she became almost totally blind. But that did not deter her from continuing her work for the religious welfare of the deaf. Her physical powers began to wane when stricken with blindness, but her mental attitude towards the uplift of the deaf never relaxed. Slowly but steadily the end approached, and after lingering between life and death for many days, with characteristic helpfulness and cheerfulness, she bade farewell to this world forever, in the seventy-ninth year of her age.

She is survived by two sisters, Miss Elizabeth F., who lived with her, Mrs. R. M. Sherman, and a brother, Dr. Bern B. Gallaudet, Professor of Anatomy at the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

The late Edward Miner Gallaudet, founder of Gallaudet College at Washington, D. C., and for half a century its president, was in his day the most famous authority on the education of the deaf in all the world.

Miss Gallaudet's funeral services were held on Friday, May 2d, at the Church of St. Matthew and St. Timothy, the officiating minister being Rev.

## Wilksburg, Pa.

Arthur H. Judge, Rector Emeritus, Rev. Frederick Burgess, Rector, and his assistant Rector, Rev. Donald Millar, and Rev. Guilbert C. Braddock, Vicar of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes. From this latter church, a vested choir—composed of Mrs. William Burke, Mrs. Joseph Karus and Mrs. Dickman—rendered the selected hymns in concerted signs. The seating capacity of the church was taxed to accommodate the large throng of deaf and the hearing people. Rev. Dr. Arthur H. Judge intoned the service for those who could hear, while Mr. Burgess directed Rev. Mr. Braddock in a synchronous delivery by the sign-language.

The casket was covered with a floral blanket, and the chancel rail supported many wreaths and set pieces of beautiful flowers.

The remains were taken to Hartford, Ct., where they will rest in the Gallaudet plot beside her father and mother and others of the Gallaudet family.

## ST. LOUIS

On Tuesday, April 29th, the Silent Boreans of the Christian Church had a good business meeting. Misses Lamb and Alsberg of the Red Cross Replacement Department were present. They learned so much from the meeting and it is hoped they will be in better condition to find the unemployed deaf something to do. The invitation was made by the teacher, Rev. Barclay Meador.

April 27th, Messrs. Blachschlegel and Bremer and their wives motored to Mr. C. N. Spiegel's mansion in the country. They had a good time. Mr. Spiegel is an all-around machinist. The Shadow Anatomist that came off at the Tuttle Memorial building was a grand success. Nearly all the seats were taken.

The Frats meeting, May 21st, had a good attendance. The main business taken up was the picnic.

The De l'Epee party at the Catholic School for the Deaf had a packed house and the winners were pleased with the prizes. The affair was engineered by Mr. W. H. Schaub, who always is willing to help a good cause.

The Parents' Association of the Gallaudet School for the Deaf had an exhibition and dance May 3d, at the Strassberger Hall. The exhibition was very interesting and shows what he deaf can do. The affair was arranged by Messrs. Emil Barth and E. H. Krang, who have deaf children. The proceedings go to the school's annual picnic, which will come off before the school closes.

The Fulton and Jacksonville schools will close early in June.

Rev. A. O. Steideman had no services at his church May 4th, as he was called out of town.

The Sells Circus was in town last week. Several of the deaf took advantage of the inside, visiting the animal cages and enjoying the clowns' tricks.

Mrs. V. Micas was baptized at the Christian Church, April 27th, before the Bible Class opened. When it was through, all went in the auditorium to hear Dr. George Campbell's sermon, interpreted by Mrs. O. A. Schneider. Before the benediction was announced, Mrs. V. Micas and Mr. Wesley Bennett became full members of the Church. Mr. Campbell gave an account of the Bible Class, which has been doing good under Rev. Barclay Meador. The hearing congregation was glad to welcome them into their fold.

Those intending to attend the N. A. D. Convention going through St. Louis would do well to correspond with Mr. W. H. Schaub, 5917 Highland Avenue, St. Louis, in regards to railroad connections. He is considered a good railroad man.

### Lutheran Mission to the Deaf

Rev. Edward F. Kaercher, Field Missionary  
2228 N. 18th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SCHEDULE OF SERVICE

##### First Sunday of Each Month

Christ Lutheran Church, 34 N. Church St., Hazleton, 11 A.M. Christ Lutheran Church, Washington and Beaumont St., Wilkes-Barre, 3 P.M. St. John's Lutheran Church, 425 Jefferson St., Scranton, 7:30 P.M.

##### Second Sunday

Trinity Lutheran Church, DeKalb St., above Perm, Norristown 11 A.M. St. Philip's Congregation (Church of the Transfiguration, 1216-1222 W. Lehigh Avenue, Philadelphia) 3 P.M. Lutheran Church of the Transfiguration, 74 W. 126th St., New York City, 7:30 P.M. (for colored deaf).

##### Third Sunday

St. Thomas' Congregation (St. John's Church, South 5th St. below Hamilton St., Allentown) 2:30 P.M. St. Andrew's Congregation (Trinity Church, 6th and Washington St., Reading) 7 P.M.

##### Fourth Sunday

Zion Lutheran Church, 135 E. Vine St., Lancaster, 10:30 A.M. St. Philip's Congregation, Philadelphia, 3 P.M. Lutheran Church of Our Saviour, Front and Montgomery St., Trenton, in the evening.

The chief event in this vicinity for a long time past was the banquet of the Wilksburg Division, No. 109, N. F. S. D. at the Penn-Lincoln Hotel, Saturday evening, April 26th. In brief the banquet was a brilliant success in every way and for this much credit is due the Banquet Committee—J. L. Friend, Chairman; Bernard Teitelbaum, F. A. Leitner, James McGivern and J. B. Smith. This was the first annual banquet of the Division, and was attended by the entire local contingent with many representatives of the Pittsburgh and Johnstown divisions, as well as visitors from other parts. These, with the invited guests, made up the comfortable number of 130 around the festal board.

The menu and program follow:—

#### MENU

Fruit Cocktail  
Fresh Vegetable Soup  
Olives  
French Fried Potatoes  
Iced Celery  
Peas in Cases

Cole Slaw  
Apple Pie with Ice-cream  
Cafe Noir

#### PROGRAMME

Toastmaster—Bernard Teitelbaum  
Purposes of the Frat—Cyril A. Painter  
Friendship—Rev. George Taylor  
"Pennsylvania"—Mrs. Marion Allen and Miss Irene Schifino.  
14,000—Harry V. Zahn  
Our Children—Mr. A. C. Manning  
"Safety First"—Mrs. Marion Allen and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sawhill.  
"Carry On"—Bernard Teitelbaum  
Accompanied by James McGivern

The program was most entertaining and greatly enjoyed by all, judged by the general applause of the speakers and actors on the list. They were all excellent and added greatly to the evening's enjoyment.

As soon as the speaking was over, the floor was cleared and the dance then was in full swing, the Wilksburg crack orchestra furnishing the music. By twelve o'clock the celebration of the first annual banquet of No. 109 was a thing of the past, but real enjoyment and good fellowship will long be remembered.

A birthday cake, lighted with one candle, was cut and distributed by Mr. Painter, President of the local division, which according to the list on the program card consists of thirty-two active and three social members.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zahn, Mr. and Mrs. Havens, Messrs. Connor and Rogalsky were among the Pittsburgh representatives, while the Johnstown Division was represented by Mr. and Mrs. Roland Barker, their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers, Wesley Mishler, Harry Slonaker, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McArthur, John Hasson and Julia Laird. From other parts: Mr. James Buterbaugh, Altoona; Roy Nordstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Dievert, Monongahela City; George Burns, Ellwood City; Mrs. Ethel Beatty and Miss Winifred Brunner, of Morgantown, W. Va.; and others.

Thus it will be seen the banquet brought together quite a number from a wide area.

Mrs. Frank Blackhall attended the banquet and remained with her daughter, Mrs. George Blackhall, a week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Meyers remained over night in Wilksburg as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leitner and visited the club rooms Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Dievert also remained as guests of the Penn-Lincoln, as did others.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sarver have moved from South Avenue to 513 Holmes Street, Wilksburg, where they have set up their household gods. And by the way they were both at the banquet Saturday. This was noted as it is rarely Mrs. Sarver can be induced to go out and leave the kid to the care of some one else.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McElroy have also shifted their household goods to quarters new, this time to Ella Street, directly opposite the Bardeses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McElroy have moved to Niagara Falls, and will work with the Grid Battery Casting Co. at that place. Mr. McElroy had been with this company at Swissvale for some years and when it was taken over by the Niagara Falls Company, he went with it. These young folk will be missed by the Wilksburg people, whose earnest, good-will goes with them.

While Wilksburg loses the McElroys, another desirable couple are expecting to move in. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stevenson, of Bellevue, are contemplating the move as most of his business, that of landscape gardener, is on this side of the Allegheny River. We old residents will be glad to welcome them.

Miss Margaret Wagner was a recent caller on Mrs. Teegarden and reported that the health of Mr. Herbert Bellows, of Apartment 4, Forbes Terrace, was in a rather precarious condition at the present time. He had been employed in a bakery in Homestead for some years, but last January he had an attack of pneumonia, and has had no work since then, and at the present time has an attack of dropsy. This seems very serious as his advanced years are against him.

Mr. William O'Neill, of Wisconsin, was a stop-over visitor in Wilksburg recently, on his way to New York.

Mr. George Reed, of near Scranton, stopped over here on his way from

Indiana, where he left his wife with relatives, who were going to California, and Mrs. Reed desired to go with them. Mr. Reed returned to take care of his trucking business.

Miss Dorothy Havens and Miss Teegarden were both home from New York on Easter day. Miss Havens returned to New York the next day, but the other lady remained a week longer.

John C. Craig accompanied his cousin, Mr. John Turner, of Verona, to Oil City, Sunday, April 27th, to visit the former's sister, who had the misfortune of breaking her wrist last winter when she fell on the ice. Complete recovery is slow, it seems.

April 19th, there was an egg-rolling contest at the Frat Club house, conducted by F. A. Leitner. The object of the social was to roll any number of dimes and nickles into the coffers of the Frat. We had no report of the accounting, but have no doubt according to the number of the "hard boiled" in play, there must have been quite a good profit realized.

G. M. T.

## CHICAGO

John W. Verity's father, William, a Chicago pioneer, died April 24th, aged ninety-seven. The deceased was born in England, and came over to America with his parents at the age of nine. The family settled in New York City, where young Verity grew to manhood. After arriving in Chicago he founded a plumbing business which was done well. He retired from the business twenty-five years ago, an account of his old age, but the business is still in existence. He was one of the founders of the Methodist camp meeting grounds, where Rev. Hasenstab, Rev. Mrs. C. A. Elmes and Rev. Rutherford attend every summer.

At Delavan, Wis., last week a serious fire was nipped in the bud when one of the members of the printing staff discovered the floor afire at the entrance of the Republican printing office, where two deaf employees, F. McLean and H. Willie work. With the aid of water and prompt action of other employees the fire was put out without the necessity of calling the fire department. The fire is believed to have originated from a spark which probably had fallen from cigars of passers-by, as investigation failed to reveal any other cause of fire.

The Pas-a-Pas Club has moved its quarters to another building on 81 West Van Buren Street this week. The new hall on the fourth floor is more spacious than the old hall on the third floor in the same building which they used before. The state deaf papers please take a note of the change of the address.

The daylight saving time began on Sunday, April 27th, and will last till last Sunday in September. We enjoy the extra hour of recreation and rest.

According to word received here from Davenport, Iowa, Leon Watson, sixty-year-old bachelor living on his folks' farm near Muscatine, Ia., died two weeks ago. He was educated at the Illinois deaf school.

Mrs. O. Pearson's mother, Sarah E. Moses, died April 24th, aged eighty-five. The body was brought to Eaton, Mich., on a train with her daughter, following by Mr. and Mrs. Pearson in an automobile driven by her son. After burial they remained a few days visiting her old relatives.

The Wisconsin deaf school will hold the commencement exercises on the evening of May 28th. Eight students will receive diplomas, of whom three are girls and five boys. The children will go home May 29th, for summer vacation.

The Illinois deaf school will close on June 5th, for summer vacation.

A baby girl was born to the sister of Norman L. Ginn, of Hammond, Ind., on Tuesday evening, April 15th, at St. Margaret's Hospital in Hammond. The baby weighs nine pounds, has red hair, blue eyes and named Willetta Joan Strong. Mother and baby are getting along fine and were brought home from the hospital on Saturday afternoon, the 26th of April. Mr. Ginn has formerly lived in Chicago, and has made his home with his sister there in Hammond, and is proprietor of the Ginn Distribution Service of Hammond.

Last week Pearl Day, of Minnesota, visited at the Hasenstab home one day, and then went to Marengo, Ill., to visit with his children.

A "500" and bunco party held by the Frats, No. 1, at Capital Building Saturday, April 26th, was well attended. Good prizes were awarded to winners according to highest scores.

The Catholic deaf held a "500" and bunco party at the C. D. Club house Sunday, April 27th, at 8 P.M. The attendance was cut by the rain.

Rev. Flick conducted church services for the deaf at Christ Church, Delavan, Wis., Sunday, April 27th, with a good attendance. During his absence, Rev. Sibitzky preached at his church here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Thomas, of Oakville, Can., are in the city on their return trip from Alabama, and are guests of Franklin A. Martin and family.

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## The Capital City

In company with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alley, Mesdames H. C. Merrill, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Moylan, of North Carolina, and Tracy, went to Romney, West Va., in the early morning of Sunday, April 27th, to spend the day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Seaton and family. Mrs. Colby did not accompany them as she had previously accepted the invitation of the family's friends to visit Winchester, Va.

Mrs. Robert Boswell and Mr. and Mrs. John Miller joined the above party at noon. They all visited the West Virginia School for the Deaf. They returned home in Washington before midnight, reporting having a grand time.

Mrs. H. S. Edington with the assistance of her family gave a delightful card party at her residence, Saturday night, April 26th.

The winners: Mrs. P. R. Vernier, first prize, a box of four pretty puffs, and Mr. Gerald Ferguson, a bridge score pad. Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Alley received booby prizes. After which other games were played until late hour.

A luscious strawberry festival will be held at Baker Hall of Calvary Baptist Church on the night of May 24th, given by the members. All deaf of Washington are cordially invited to come and have a good time.

The date of June 7th has been secured for the annual excursion to Marshall Hall. Mr. Roy J. Stewart is chairman. It is under the auspices of the Washington Division, No. 46, N. F. S. D.

July 4th, 1930, (Friday) has been secured by the Division, No. 46, N. F. S. D. for a joint outing with Baltimore, No. 47, to be held on the grounds of Kendall Green. Mr. Robert Smoak is chairman.

Miss Evelyn Sharpe was married to a hearing man last Saturday, April 26th. After her marriage, Evelyn resumed her work again as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alley took some co-eds of Gallaudet College to visit the Colored School for the Deaf at Overlea, Md., last week.

Sunday evening, April 27th, was beautiful and warm and the Baptist Church was well filled with deaf. The sermon of Rev. A. D. Bryant was interesting and instructive. The scent of lilies and other memories of Easter lingered in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hannan are still domiciled at 1860 Clydesdale Place, N. W. They will attend the fourth World Congress of the Deaf to be held in Buffalo, N. Y., August 4th to 9th. Mr. Walter Hauser and Miss Mabel Hoyle returned home from North Carolina last week.

Mrs. H. C. Merrill and Mrs. Mary Marshall entertained the Washington Card Club at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Brookmire Thursday night, April 24th. This club was organized by Mrs. Merrill some years ago.

The Souders have a handsome German police dog named "Frisky."

Mrs. R. J. Stewart has returned from an Easter week-end visit in New York City, where she was the guest of Miss Harriet Hall.

May 14th, Wednesday night, has been secured by ladies of St. Barnabas' Mission for a Strawberry Festival to be held at Parish House of St. Mark's Church. Come all of you, women, men and children, and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. McLean and family have just moved to New York City.

The following clipping was taken from the Washington Herald of May 1st.

Catholic University rained twelve hits off two Gallaudet fingers Wednesday, April 30th, while the Kendall Green infield juggled the ball around for eight errors. As a consequence the Cardinals thumped the Silents, 16 to 1.

Some Washington deaf will if nothing prevents attend the convention of West Virginia Association of the Deaf at Romney, June 2d, 3d, and 4th, of which our S. B. Alley is secretary. The charge will be one dollar a day.

We had a pleasant chat with Mrs. H. G. Benson, charming wife of the Professor of the Maryland School for the Deaf. She has two charming daughters, who are teachers, the former at the South Carolina School for the Deaf and Blind, the latter, Gallaudet College.

Mrs. C. C. COLBY.

## The O. W. L. S.

Attention Alumnae O. W. L. S. of Gallaudet College.

The N. A. D. meets at Buffalo, August 4 to 9th. We shall have our conclave at this time. A quorum is desired, so sister O. W. L. S., come one, come all. Meet your sisters and friends while enjoying the convention.

Our second scholarship fund is nearing its goal. Push it over the top before the conclave by sending your mite—be it big or be it small, every little helps—to Miss Elizabeth Peet, Gallaudet College, Washington, D. C. See you in Buffalo, August 4 to 9, 1930.

HELEN W. PENCE '24,  
President  
Fulton, Mo.  
May 1, 1930.

## OHIO

News items for this column can be sent to B. M. Edgar, 56 Latta Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

Saturday evening, April 26th, found the school chapel full to overflowing to honor the birthday of that good friend to all and that great master of the sign-language, the late Robert P. McGregor. The first thing on the program was some dancing by a few little ones of the school. Miss Ethelburga Zell, being master of ceremonies, introduced Rev. F. C. Smielau, who gave a good talk about Mr. MacGregor as teacher, friend and helper. His friendship with Mr. MacGregor dated back to when Mr. Smielau was a student in the Ohio school. "To his former teacher he gave credit for installing in him his love for good books. After the reverend's talk films of Mr. MacGregor were shown and so lifelike were they that we felt as if the departed had returned to life again.

Other pictures were shown also, and all in all a pleasant evening was spent. Some visitors from out of town were present, eager to see the films of their friend. Among these were Mr. Louis Bacheberle, of Cincinnati; Mr. Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. McConnell, of Akron. Most of the visitors called at the school Sunday.

Friends of Miss Nettie Jones, who left Columbus almost twenty years ago, to make her home at Milwaukee, Wis., with her sister, were shocked, indeed to learn through Miss Bertha Druggan that she passed away on March 29th, and was buried in Milwaukee. Miss Jones worked in the State Lundry for a quarter of a century. She was sixty-seven years old, and was educated in the Ohio school, as was also a brother.

The first Easter vacation proved very successful and all but fifteen pupils returned on time. This looks as if an Easter vacation will be given each year now. The few pupils who remained had a good time visiting places of interest in the city.

Since the terrible fire at the state penitentiary, there has been much trouble as the prisoners, from excitement perhaps, have refused to work or to obey those in authority. Today the entire place was put under military control, with the Ohio National guards in charge. These units come from many sections of the state. Just now all state institutions are being inspected to see what safety provisions have been made in case of fire or other trouble. As far as I know, the school for the deaf has not come in for any criticism, although it has always been difficult to get sufficient money to keep things in good shape.

Our school was called upon to house some of the injured prisoners in the recent fire. In our hospital in a short time thirty beds were ready, the doctor, nurses and supplies all on hand with Mrs. Jones in charge; but later word came that the penitentiary hospital could care for the injured. We suspect all felt a little disappointed to be deprived of the chance to help the suffering ones.

Just as I was stepping onto the Oak Street car whom should I see jumping off but Mr. Leonce Odebrecht, a former teacher, but now enjoying life with a pension. He was looking very well and somewhat fleshier than formerly.

Mr. Irving S. Fufeld, of Gallaudet College, was at the school April 18th, having come to Columbus on some business. Most of those who knew him had left the school for their Easter recess, and failed to meet him.

Mr. Charles Miller spent Easter at his home in Tiffin; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Holdren motored to Bucyrus to show daughter, Barbara, to the latter's relative; Miss Rachel Gleason went to her home in Fredericktown, and Mrs. Ella Zell, Mr. Zell and Miss Zell spent the vacation with relatives in Dayton. Most of us just took a good rest right here in Columbus.

Within the last two weeks, Mr. J. C. Winemiller, of the Board of Managers of the Ohio Home, has received nine names of applicants to the Home. This shows that unemployment in the state is still bad. At present there are forty residents, and room for only a few more now.

The Piqua Aid Society held a meeting recently and selected Mrs. John Robinson and Mrs. Oren Riddle to visit the Ohio Home May 3d, to look after the society's room at the Home. The society will have a social May 10th.

Mr. Edwin Holycross has returned to Piqua after visiting her daughter in Columbus. Mr. and Mrs. Holycross are now living with Mrs. Slonkowski, whose husband died a short ago. Mr. Slonkowski had lived in Piqua forty-two years, and was active in all matters pertaining to the deaf. He was an earnest worker in the Piqua society, and was one of its founders. He was greatly respected by all who knew him.

Mr. Wesley Bennett, of St. Louis, a printer in the government's weather bureau there, called on friends in Piqua on his way home from near Lima, where he had been to bury his wife, who died suddenly in St. Louis.

In the death of Miss Clara K. Hackman, the Catholic deaf of Cincinnati have lost a good friend, as she was highly esteemed by all. Her death occurred April 9th, after suffering a severe heart attack.

Among the deaf visited by Rev. Smielau are three women well along

in years and with whom he enjoys talking. One is in Elyria, Mrs. E. Gildersleeve, who is ninety years old; another is a former teacher at the Ohio school now living in Youngstown and she is only eighty-nine and still active; one other is Mrs. Lucy Hines, of Springfield, who is eighty-seven and still able to enjoy the missionary's visits.

The Cleveland deaf are truly sorry to see Rev. Smielau move to Columbus, but realize it is a more central location for him to be where he can easily reach any section of his diocese.

At last the missionary has found a suitable house in Columbus and will soon move his household goods to 2956 Indianola Avenue. This puts him in the northern part of the city near where the Ohlemachers, Mr. Clum and the Jacksons live.

Two from southern states were united in marriage in Akron, March 26th. The groom, employed at Goodyear's factory, Marvin Young, was educated in Georgia, and his bride, Bertha Garrigues Young, attended the Alabama school.

Mr. James Steward, one of our veteran teachers, had the misfortune to have a ceiling in his home on Oak Street, come down on his dining room table. Whether any of the plastering was eaten by him or not we know not, but he called in Mr. S. Dresback, the deaf plasterer, and says that he did a neat job of plastering and papering for him. In less than two weeks, Mr. Steward's family has been treated to a plaster shower twice and Mr. Dresback thinks "its an ill wind that blows no one any good" for Mr. Steward's discomfort has meant dollars to Mr. Dresback.

### Teaching Deaf Children

By Dr. W. A. Evans

Prof. Robert H. Gault has invented a new aid for teaching deaf persons, and particularly deaf children. It is called the telelector and it serves to aid the deaf to perceive and to interpret words and other sounds. In very low forms of life the ability to hear after a fashion is possessed by every cell. In the higher planes this ability becomes specialized in the cells of the ear apparatus and all other cells retain nothing but the rudiments of hearing capacity. This statement, left by itself, might lead one to think that Prof. Gault's telelector enables one to hear with his fingers, but such a conclusion would be a great and misleading exaggeration. Here is another line of approach to another explanation.

The art of lip-reading consists in watching the movement of the lips and mouth in talking and in inferring sounds and words therefrom. Or in another line of approach. A smart deaf person can guess what is said to him by the attitude of the speaker, his gestures, and the expression of his face. Prof. Gault has given us still another method of interpreting the speaker to the deaf person.

The telelector is a small telephone apparatus for transmitting the feel of speech from the mouth of the speaker to the fingertip of the deafened person. A cord runs to the pupil. He holds it with one finger on the button or diaphragm, as the case may be. An electric current transmits the feel of the spoken word from the receiving diaphragm and reproduces it against the finger of the listener. The instrument can be used with a single listener. It is more effective when a group of deaf children study together, each with his finger on the button of a receiving handle. In using this instrument for teaching classes of children the usual pedagogic methods are made use of. Words are written on a blackboard as they are spoken. The pupil sees the word, perhaps also a picture of the object referred to, hears as much of the spoken word as his hearing makes possible, notes the attitude and expression of the speaker, studies his lip movement and also feels his speech with the telelector.

The benefits of competition among pupils and education by contact with fellow students are also made use of. The instrument and the method are still on trial and are not in general use, but they have been the subject of experimentation and research, much of it practical, for several years.—Phila. Public Ledger.

Some fellows can get good jobs, but they can't keep them.

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#### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

From October to June inclusive—Sundays.  
Evening Prayer and sermon, at 3:00 P.M.  
Second Sunday, Litany and sermon, at 3:00 P.M.  
Third Sunday, Holy Communion and at 4:15 P.M.



NEW YORK

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

Although it was generally known that she had been in failing health for some time past, the many friends of Miss Virginia B. Gallaudet were grieved to learn that she passed to the Great Beyond on Wednesday morning, April 30th. During the last few days, she became totally blind, then lapsed into unconsciousness, and while her body rested peacefully, her soul left to go to its triumph.

In her passing, the deaf have lost a steadfast and unselfish friend, one who was intensely devoted to their welfare and interests. Miss Gallaudet gave a lifetime of service to St. Ann's Church, which was founded by her illustrious father, the Rev. Thomas Gallaudet. In addition to being President of the Woman's Parish Aid Society, she was General Manager of the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes, which maintains the Gallaudet Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf at Wappinger Falls, N. Y.

The funeral service was held on Friday morning, May 2d, at the Church of St. Matthew and St. Timothy, of which St. Ann's is a chapel. One-half of the pews were reserved for them, and were filled with the deaf, whom the deceased loved so well. They will greatly miss Miss Gallaudet's cheerful personality, her kind words and helpful advice, and the warm friendliness that radiated from this most lovable woman.

Miss Alice Hanson, eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Olaf Hanson, of Seattle, Wash., who is located in New York for a year or so, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Renner last week. As Mrs. Renner hails from Washington State, she dusted off the snapshot photograph album, and the two ladies proceeded to make it a sort of "Old Home Week." As Mr. Renner had only travelled as far as Washington, D. C., all he could do was to smoke his pipe and listen in Miss Hanson being an ardent mountain climber, having scaled Mt. Rainier and Mt. Tacoma, just naturally got booked for a trip to the Renner Ranch in the Catskills shortly. It was a most enjoyable visit, even if Miss Alice did not divulge the secret that she was a brand new bride. She was quietly married to Mr. Homer Jones at the Little Church Around the Corner just two days previously. Mr. Jones had to return to Pittsburgh where he is a professor at the University there. According to Papa Hanson's Seattle column, they will go to Iowa in a month or two, and then visit Seattle.

The passing years marked another notch in the record for Mrs. Daisy Liebsohn, Sunday, April 27th. Fittingly as many of her multitude of friends that could be crowded in her home wended their way there. Mrs. Liebsohn had through the connivance of Mr. McLaren been taken to church and great was her surprise on her return to find her friends occupying the apartment. Interest centered in a walnut combination card and sewing table and four chairs, which were the marks of esteem in which she is held. A bountiful supper was served, game played and hopes of many happy returns of the day exchanged. Besides relatives and hearing friends, those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. Donovan, Wolgamot, Bertine, Barnes, McLaren, Fetscher, Mrs. Schnakenberg, Misses Williams and Anderson, Mrs. Gass, Mr. Anderson, Emil Mayer, John Maier, Geo. Abrams.

**BROOKLYN HEBREW DEAF.**

Every Friday evening at the Hebrew Educational Society, the Jewish Deaf of Brooklyn come out in large numbers, to attend the Friday evening services.

During the past month we have been most fortunate in having with us such people as our good friend, Mr. Edwin Hodgson, the editor of this paper and one of the deaf's best friends, and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Osserman, of New York. Mr. Osserman gave us a most interesting talk. This last week Father Everett Curran of Cathedral College, Father F. Purtell of St. Francis Xavier's College and Miss Purtell, Father Curran's message was on the "Importance of Religion." Father Purtell gave his message in the sign language—this was a double treat and his fine character and personality were both portrayed in his message. Miss Purtell's good advice and understanding of the deaf always makes her such a "joy." Brooklyn is looking forward to a Strawberry Festival on May 11th. Be sure to join us.

On Saturday, May 3d, the James B. Gass kept open house, that is, they had a housewarming, having moved in a better, location of the fast growing Bronx. In the afternoon the ladies were entertained, and in the evening the men trooped in.

SILENT MOVIES!

Now that the deaf have been deprived of their favorite source of amusement through the introduction of "Talkies," they will be overjoyed to be able once again to see Broadway's best offerings in the good old silent movies. And more important than that, they will be aiding a most worthy cause.

Sunday, June 1st, at 8 p.m., in the commodious and convenient St. Francis Xavier College Theatre, 40 West 16th Street, between 5th and 6th Avenues, Manhattan, under the auspices of the New York Council, Knights and Ladies of the De'Epée Sick and Disability Association of New York, there will be offered a first-class movie show.

The net proceeds of the show will be turned over to the N. A. D. Abbe De l'Epee Statue Fund. So, now that you know what it is all about, let everybody reserve that date for an enjoyable evening. You will have a good time and in addition you will help to honor your great benefactor—Abbe De l'Epee.

Morris Davis, a deaf-mute, member of the Y. M. H. A., won the 50,000 meter championship, jointly conducted by the Yorkville Athletic League and the Metropolitan Association A. A. U. The walk was in preparation for the 1932 Olympic games and was the first ever held at this distance.

Morris Davis is twenty-seven years old, and his achievement has been hailed by the daily press of this city as a very creditable thing. His time was 5 hours 26 minutes 12 3-5 seconds. He finished seven minutes ahead of the second man, Rudolph Hantke, a trained athlete connected with the German-American A. C.

Mr. Duncan McLean, formerly of Washington, D. C., who was employed in the Washington (D. C.) Herald, but transferred to this city by the Hearst papers, and has been steadily employed on the Evening Journal, on Sunday, April 27th, left the city very early in his car, for Washington, D. C., to take Mrs. McLean and his two children to New York, a boy of sixteen years and a girl of four years old, which he accomplished without a mishap. Now the family of Duncan McLean are united once more—in New York.

Mr. Adolph Pfeiffer, of Lake George, N. Y., set foot on Manhattan's soil on the first of the month, and as usual when he comes to town, is stopping at the Commodore Hotel. He dropped in at the rooms of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League on Saturday, the 3d, and was greeted by his old time friends and schoolmates. His stay will be limited to about a couple of weeks, then back to his dear Lake George home.

George H. Woolworth died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y. He was a brother of the late Sarah Woolworth, resident of the Gallaudet Home, at Wappinger Falls, N. Y. Mr. Woolworth was a very prominent Brooklynite. For forty years he was a real-estate operator and was twice vice-president of the Society of Old Brooklynites, a member of several lodges and societies. He leaves a widow and two sons.

The Hebrew Association of the Deaf will hold a Special Memorial Service on its grounds at the New Mount Carmel Cemetery this Sunday afternoon, May 11th, at 2:30 p.m. The services will be conducted by Rabbi A. F. Nash. To reach the grounds take 14th Street, (B. M. T.) Cross-town Subway to Myrtle Avenue Station, go up and get on a Richmond Hill trolley to 66th Street, and walk one block on your right, to entrance. In the event of rain on the 11th, the services will be postponed to Sunday afternoon, May 25th.

On Sunday, April 27th, Misses Judy Solomon and Goldie L. Aronson spent the day at Lakewood and Lakehurst, N. J., with Miss Aronson's friends. They went by an auto. They paid a visit to Ida Frank, who was more than delighted to see her deaf friends and is hoping that more deaf people are coming to see her. They all had a wonderful time there with such a glorious day.

Mr. J. P. Clousner, of this city, who went to Chicago, Ill., last winter, to visit her folks, is to return East after Mother's Day. Her sister is to accompany her. Before returning to New York, they will stop for ten days in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goodman (nee Miss Minnie Brown of New York), of Montreal, P. Q., announce the birth of a girl on April 24th. They have a daughter, Shirley, aged four-and-a-half years.

The loving mother of Charles H. Wiemuth, was called to rest, after long suffering from arthritis, on Friday morning, May 2, 1930, at the age of sixty-six.

The mother of David Polinsky met with an accident recently, and was removed to a hospital, but she is now almost recovered, and will soon return home.

FANWOOD

A large number of the teachers and officers from Fanwood were at the funeral services of Miss Virginia B. Gallaudet at the Church of St. Matthew and St. Timothy, on Friday morning, May 2d. Miss Gallaudet was interested in welfare work among the deaf and was devoted to their interests, being actively connected with the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes and St. Ann's Chapel. She was an honorary member of the Ladies' Committee of the Institution.

On Friday afternoon school was dismissed at 2:15 o'clock, and all assembled in the chapel, where Dr. Fox spoke on the life and service of Miss Gallaudet.

Fanwood's baseball season opened last Saturday afternoon with the R. B. Martie Co. team. It was a thrilling game with a melodramatic finish of the kind one reads about in the magazines or sees in the movies—the only thing wrong being that our team was the loser. The Fanwoods had the game apparently securely won by the score of 8 to 6 when the visitors went to bat in the last inning. Two men got on bases, one was nailed at first, and another fanned. Two out. The next batter lifted an easy bingle right into one of the outfielder's gloves—and he muffed! The score was tied. Then came a fusillade of hits, and when the dust settled down after the third out, the tally was 13 to 8 in favor of the visiting team.

Following is the box score:—

R. B. MARTIE	AB	R	H	E
Randolph 2b	0	3	0	1
Martie 3b	1	3	0	0
Slade 1b	2	1	0	1
Wehr c	3	1	2	1
Clampett p	3	2	1	0
Wickman lf	2	2	1	0
Nelson ss	2	0	1	0
Wise cf	3	1	2	0
Gannon rf	3	0	0	0
	19	13	7	3

  

FANWOOD	AB	R	H	E
Kolenda, lf	3	1	0	0
Verdiechio, ss	1	1	0	0
Lux, c	3	0	1	1
Gordiano, 3b, p.	1	1	0	2
Tedesco, 1b	2	1	1	0
Cosco, 2b	3	2	2	1
Salamandi, cf	3	2	1	0
Trapanese, rf	1	0	0	0
Brown, lf	2	1	1	0
Port, 3b, p.	3	1	2	0
Balkoski, p.	0	0	0	0
	23	8	7	4

Two Base hits—Lux, Port, Wehr, Wise. Left on bases—Fanwood 6, R. B. Martie 7. First on balls—off. Balkoski 3, Gordiano 5, Port 6, Clampett 4. Struck out by Gordiano 6, Port 4, by Clampett 9.

Mrs. Alex. R. Tweedie and her daughter, Ruth, of Nottingham, England, were visitors at Fanwood on Monday, the 5th, and were much interested in the system here. Mrs. Tweedie's husband is an ear, throat and nose specialist, and is chairman of the Nottingham Deaf Society.

"Phew! but it is hot," said most everybody on Monday, when a touch of July weather blasted on the large thermometer on the vestibule shed of the boy's yard and sent it up to 94 degrees. However, with the annual field day scheduled for next Friday afternoon, it did not deter the boys from practicing for the various events.

One never knows when he will suddenly burst into the limelight. The picture of our genial gardener, Mr. Peter Egger, who has been trimming our lawns and making the grounds beautiful for the past sixteen years, appeared, all dolled up in fisherman's togs, on the cover page of the Saturday Evening Post under date of May 3, 1930. He has since been besieged by all his friends for fish legends, as previously they were unaware that he was a follower of Izaak Walton.

The Palette and Brush Club have gotten out hand colored cards with appropriate verses for Mother's Day, and are selling them for ten cents each. Mother's Day is on Sunday, May 11th.

K. Bhattacharjee, of India, a Normal student at Gallaudet College, visited our school and trades schools on May 5th.

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**SERVICES**

First Sunday, Holy Communion and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Address 3:15 P.M.

Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Fourth Sunday, Litany, or Ante-Communion and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Fifth Sunday, Address, 8 P.M.

Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the first, 4:30 P.M.

Guild and other meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.

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SEATTLE

Mr. John E. Skoglund, of Spokane, president of our state association, was in town a couple of weeks ago, and made brief calls on as many of his friends as possible. He was driving a fine new DeSoto Six, and found great satisfaction in its behavior. He went on to Tacoma to spend the night in his mother's house, starting home the next day by way of Vancouver, Wash.

On Easter Sunday morning, Dr. Hanson conducted a communion service at St. Mark's attended by nearly all of the members of the mission. Mr. and Mrs. Holcombe came from Manette to attend, and the missionary, was very glad of Mr. Holcombe's assistance at the service. Now that the spring weather has arrived, Mr. Holcombe is planning to come frequently to the services and act as lay-reader. His fine command of signs make him an interesting assistant. He is deeply interested in the work.

After the services the congregation dispersed to spend the day in various ways. Alice Wilberg accompanied her brother, his wife, and some friends on a motor trip to Index. Doris Nation went to the home of her brother, Arthur, to attend a family party in honor of the presence of her sister-in-law, from Victoria, B. C. We explored the region around the southern side of Lake Sammamish and found it an attractive country.

Claude Hollinger, who was in Seattle and Tacoma for several weeks, and found some odd jobs in the latter city, has gone to Ellensburg, where he has promise of work on a ranch.

Mrs. Victoria Smith and her sister, Miss Clara Allen have just moved back to the house of the latter on North 79th Street, when it was vacated by its tenant. They are happy to be back in their home and are busy getting settled. Mrs. Smith has just subscribed for the JOURNAL. She cannot do without it, and hears so many references to news in its columns that she has to read it herself.

Mr. Charles Boyle, the brother-in-law of Sophia Mullin, has just received a shining new black Oldsmobile from his company, the ethyl gas company. His old car goes to another employee of the company.

The fine new brick parish house of Trinity Church will be opened during the week of May 11th. It is all finished, except the furnishings. The mission will then have a place to hold weekly meetings of a social nature.

The Gallaudet Guild party of April 26th, was managed by J. C. Howard. It had a number of interesting and amusing games, and then progressive cootie was played. In recognition of the arrival of spring, fruit salad took the place of the usual hot dish at the late supper. There was plenty of coffee on tap for all who wanted something warm.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Oliver, who came with their little daughter to the guild party, were a whole hour late through a flat tire. However, they arrived in time to join in the games, which were just starting up.

Miss Alice Hanson was married to Mr. Homer Jones at 5:40 p.m., on Easter Monday in the chapel of the Church of the Transfiguration at E. 29th Street, popularly known as the "Little Church Around the Corner," in New York City. The young couple, whose romance began in Chicago, had been engaged for a year, and had tentatively fixed the date of their wedding for June, decided to hurry it by a few weeks, when Homer was in New York for the Easter vacation. The groom is teaching at the University of Pittsburgh, and has gone back to his post. Alice, who retains her maiden name, will continue in New York, working on the Encyclopedia of Social Sciences, but now that the young couple are one they can plan more effectively to bring their work together in the future. They both still have some work to do towards their doctorates. They hope for a month's vacation this summer, when they will go to visit Homer's relatives, and then come to Seattle. The young couple have every prospect of a happy and successful life before them.

Miss Sink and Mrs. Hanson are fond of taking long walks together. On Friday, they went out to the shores of Lake Washington to what used to be known as Wolf's Cove, and was a popular picnic and swimming place a decade ago. The years have brought many changes, and the shore line in that neighborhood is now private property.

The foundation stone of the spacious new St. Mark's Cathedral was laid this afternoon in the midst of an imposing assembly of clergymen and church members. A large choir was present, and the processional train was impressive. It was cool this afternoon, and the winds of heaven blew through the great church upon the hill, stirring the vestments of choir and priests. Bishop Huston made a short and impressive address, and the choir filed out to the recessional:—

"To this temple, where we call Thee,  
Come O Lord of Hosts, today.  
With Thy wondrous loving kindness  
Hear Thy servants as they pray,  
And Thy fullest benediction  
Shed within its walls away."

After the ceremony the clergy and vestry and their wives went to an informal tea at the bishop's mansion, overlooking Lake Washington.

**THE HANSONS.**

April 27, 1930.

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**OFFICIAL CALL FOR THE SIXTEENTH CONVENTION OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF**

In accordance with action taken by the Executive Board, call is hereby issued for the Sixteenth Convention of the National Association of the Deaf to meet in the City of Buffalo, State of New York, from August 4 to 9, 1930, Monday to Saturday, inclusive.

ARTHUR L. ROBERTS, President,  
FREDERICK A. MOORE, Sec.-Treas.  
April 14, 1930.

The laws of the Association require that the official call for the triennial convention shall be issued three months in advance of the meeting. As the convention is always held in the month of August, the official calls have generally been issued around May 1st. Therefore, the call for the coming convention at Buffalo is issued well within the time limit prescribed.

**PROGRAM**

The committee on program for the Buffalo meeting, Vice-President Kenner, chairman, Dr. Thomas F. Fox, Tom L. Anderson, have drawn up a tentative program, which is now being rapidly perfected. This includes arrangements for the literary program, speakers, etc., as well as program for the banquet, and exercises in connection with dedication of the De l'Epee monument. The Buffalo Local committee has practically completed arrangements for the various local and outing features of the program. We believe the arrangements now being made for the convention will fittingly commemorate the Fiftieth Anniversary meeting of the Association. An outline of the program will shortly be published.

**FOREIGN DELEGATES**

Invitations have been extended the foreign deaf to attend the Buffalo meeting, and particularly to the deaf of France, on account of the unveiling of the memorial to their illustrious countryman, De l'Epee. Reports from Europe, however, are not encouraging, on account of the economical depression there, but we hope to have a few of the foreign deaf present.

**DE L'EPEE MEMORIAL**

Chairman Frankenheim of the De l'Epee Memorial committee reports that satisfactory progress is being made on the statue project. The bronze casting has been completed in Paris, and is now being shipped to the United States. The foundation and ornamental base are now in process of completion on the site located on the grounds of the Le Cousteux Institution at Buffalo. It is expected to have the memorial erected well in advance of the convention date, and ready for dedication on Thursday, August 7th.

**TRANSPORTATION AND FARES**

The president has secured from the various railroad passenger associations, in connection with the Buffalo convention a round-trip fare of one and one-half, provided one hundred and fifty passenger certificates are validated at Buffalo on Friday, August 8th.

Therefore, those going to Buffalo should be sure to obtain a certificate from their railroad agent when purchasing one-way ticket. If 150 certificates are validated at Buffalo, these certificates will entitle the holders to one-half fare returning to their homes. It is important, therefore, to obtain such certificates. All station agents have been advised of this arrangement, and no difficulty will be found in securing a certificate.

However, if there is an excursion fare from your town to Buffalo, and it is less than one and one-half round-trip fare, it would of course be best to purchase the excursion ticket.

The president has appointed Mr. Marcus L. Kenner, 200 West 111th Street, New York, to handle the special train from New York City to Buffalo; and Mr. J. Frederick Meagher, 3135 Eastwood Avenue, Chicago, to handle the Chicago special. Those desiring to enjoy the advantages of travel on these specials should communicate with the gentlemen above-mentioned well in advance, so they can make reservations.

Specials from other sections of the country will be arranged, if those desiring them will communicate with the president at once.

**LOCATION OF SECRETARY-TREASURER**

Mr. Frederick A. Moore, secretary-treasurer of the Association, is now located at 6681 Olentangy Road,

Worthington, O., not far from Columbus.

Those desiring to pay their dues in advance, and avoid the crush at Buffalo, should communicate with Mr. Moore at the above-named address. Send him your dues, or membership fees, and especially Life Membership fees, and make yourself solid for the future. Membership fee \$1.00; Life Membership fee \$10.00; annual dues \$1.00.

**AMENDMENTS**

Amendments or additions to the laws of the Association may be submitted to the president in writing, and must be published sixty days in advance of the convention. However, changes in the laws may be made at the convention by a four-fifths vote, without previous notice. The Law committee of the Association is composed of Dr. Olof Hanson, chairman, 4747 16th Avenue, N. E., Seattle, Wash., Mr. Wm. H. Schaub, 5917 Highland Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., and Miss C. Belle Rogers, School for Deaf, Cedar Spring, S. C.

**THE PRESIDENCY**

The president desires to take this opportunity, well in advance of the Buffalo convention, to say that he will not again be a candidate for president of the Association.

His record of official service in the Association extends from the Colorado Springs convention, 1910, when he became a member of the Executive Board; elected secretary at the Cleveland convention, 1913; served in this capacity at the San Francisco convention, 1915; re-elected secretary at the Hartford convention, 1917; elected secretary-treasurer at the Detroit convention, 1920; elected president at the Atlanta convention, 1923; re-elected at the Washington convention, 1926.

This covers a period of twenty years of service. It is a long span in the life of any man, and it has entailed a great sacrifice in time, energy, and money. The bricks and boulders from the unthinking have been many and frequent, and the boquets few and far between. Any man in public life must expect this, and we are not complaining. On the other hand, we have thoroughly enjoyed this service for the Association, and such as it has been we have given gladly and without stint. We think that twenty years is enough, and at Buffalo the office will be turned over to some one able and willing to shoulder the burden. We can no longer carry it, in addition to the other work engaging our whole time and attention.

ARTHUR L. ROBERTS,  
President.

Chicago, April 21.

**DETROIT**

The Cadillac Association of the Deaf held a movie show in its club room. "The Fall of Rye" and snapshots were shown. A large attendance turned out.

Mrs. Whitney, (nee Iva LaDue), of Flint, who is sister of Mrs. Blanche Blodgett, gave birth to a daughter on April 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kenney took another trip to Flint in their Chevrolet car to spend Easter Day with Mr. and Mrs. George Tripp and visited the club for the deaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Behrendt took Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davies in their car to Flint to visit their children at school, on Easter Day.

Mrs. A. Japes and her daughter, have been visiting her folks in Saginaw two weeks ago, and her husband went there and took them home. They enjoyed their visit.

Mrs. Laura Walker has been working for Mrs. Miller's sister, and enjoyed the trip in Ontario.

Mrs. Alfred Miller has returned after five weeks in Grand Rapids, Mich.

On April 25th, there was a "500" and bunco party, given by the Church League at St. John's Parish House. The winners were Mrs. Jones, Mr. Affeldt, Mrs. Ed Ball, Mrs. Hannan and Mr. Greenbaum. Mrs. Davies was assisted by Mrs. Affeldt.

Mr. Anna Mohl and Miss Lillian Sheahan spent a day at Mrs. M. Basset's place in Dearborn two weeks ago. They all had a very pleasant time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bristol, of Flint, were the guests at D. A. D. on April 26th. Mr. Bristol gave an interesting talk about the last thirty years. He talked about horseless cars. Clothes were different from today and thirty years ago. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Behrendt.

A "Country Store" was held after the lecture. Mr. McCarthy and Mr. Thorniley were the storekeepers.

Miss A. Leckie returned from Sarnia after her visit for Easter with her folks.

Mr. Thorniley has announced the coming events for May at D. A. D. Movie on May 10th in charge of Mrs. Charles Reed.

Keno party on May 24th, in charge of Mrs. A. Lobsinger. Twenty elegant prizes will be given. Mr. Priester will give a drama play on May 24th.

Mr. A. Hinch gave a brief talk about the coming convention at Buffalo, N. Y., from August 4 to 9th. The officers of Chicago will stop in

this city on August 2d and Mr. Hinch has planned a reception for them at the D. A. D., and sight seeing during the day. In the evening, they will leave for Buffalo by boat.

Kenneth Kaufman, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kaufman of Flint, was married and will live in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Spreers of Bay City, were visitors at the D. A. D. on April 29th.

"Ten Nights in a Barroom" will be staged at the G. A. R. on May 17th, under auspices of N. F. S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsey Day were in Toledo, O., to attend Rev. F. C. Smielau's service on April 6th. Their daughter, of Bad Axe, has a baby girl, born on February 28th.

Mr. Peter Ruetz, a former Flint pupil, of Toledo, dropped a visit in D. A. D. club to see Mr. Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith, of Ann Arbor, Mich., were visitors at the D. A. D. on April 26th and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pastori.

Miss Bessie Cole intends to leave for Scotland in two weeks and will stay in Scotland for the summer.

Mr. Louis Koehler's father, 89 years old, died on Easter Day and was buried on Oddfellows' plot, Prospect Cemetery, at Toronto, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kresin, of Port Huron, dropped in to call at Mr. and Mrs. L. Koehlers' home on Saturday, April 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beaver, of Lexington, Ky., moved to Detroit last winter and are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. May for a while, till they find better employment.

MRS. L. MAY

**BUFFALO**

Anyone interested in the 1930 N. A. D. convention, and desiring information and free literature should write to Charles N. Snyder, Secretary-Publicity, 58 Harrison Ave., Lockport, N. Y.

Thomas Hunt, who for the past ten years has conducted a successful tailoring and cleaning establishment on Main Street, has announced his retirement, giving as his reason the ruinous competition indulged in by his rivals in trade. He has moved to Ferks, N. Y., on the outskirts, where like Micawber, he is waiting for something to turn up. While his future is problematical, it will not be hard for Tom to land a lucrative position in a tailoring establishment where his ability will be recognized.

Gaston Alphonse Smythe has returned from Montreal, Que., where he spent a few days at McGill University taking an examination for a position in the Montreal post office and although the results will not be known for some time, Mr. Smythe has high hopes of landing a place.

It is with genuine sorrow that we learn of the passing away at Detroit a few weeks ago of Mrs. G. E. M. Nelson. For some years she was a well-known correspondent for the deaf press, writing under the pen name of "Pansy," wielding a trenchant pen and spreading a kindly cheer that made her beloved everywhere. Man proposes here below, but God disposes. During the winter Mrs. Nelson twice sent in to the secretary of the local committee, asking for folders to distribute to a ladies' club in Detroit and spoke of her high hopes for being able to take in our convention and renew friendships of many years' standing, but the Lord in His wise providence had higher work for Mrs. Nelson. Requiescat in pace.

Mrs. Boynton, of Toronto, Ont., was a visitor here for a few days, visiting her son.

Mr. Russell Martin, boys' supervisor at St. Mary's School, motored to Detroit, April 21st, staying in the motor city for a few days.

Frank Martens, of Eden, N. Y., has just purchased a brand new Ford coupe, much to the delight of his fiancée, Miss Winifred Bidell, of this city. They take long rides in it almost daily, calling on friends.

Miss Bedell is employed in the office of the Central Branch Y. M. C. A.

A bad fire did \$25,000 damage to the plant of the Remington-Rand Company here recently. Miss Agnes Palmgren, employed in the office, was forced to use the fire escape, suffering no casualties, aside being somewhat suffocated by the smoke, which is indeed fortunate.

A newcomer to this city is a Mr. Randell Holly, educated at the Morganton, S. C., school.

Announcement is made of a joint card party and dance by the Buffalo deaf on Saturday May 17th, at 8 sharp at De l'Epee hall at St. Mary's school. Valuable prizes and good music. Admission, 50c. The object announced is to raise funds for expenses of the N. A. D. picnic early this summer. Mr. Joseph P. Spahn has the affair in charge. Keep this date in mind and turn out for this worthy cause.

The card party given by No. 40, Buffalo N. F. S. D., April 26th, was a success if the attendance was any criterion. Prizes were awarded the winners and the proceeds of this affair go towards the fund for the Frat's smoker at convention time. Still other forms are in the making. Mr. Peasland was in charge of this affair.



## OMAHA

The Fontenelle Literary Society held its annual public meeting in the N. S. D. auditorium, Saturday night, April 26th. Quite a crowd attended. Dr. J. Schuyler Long was unable to be present to make an address. Current Events by T. Scott Cuscaden proved very interesting. His signs as usual were clear and forceful. Owen Study aired some of his views in "Finding fault with the ladies." He certainly told the audience what he would do in their places. It showed keen observation and understanding of his subject. Mrs. Emma Seely was to present the opposite side, but was unable to come. A playlet, "Tubb's Telegram" given by Mesdames C. E. Comp, Ziba L. Osmun, Ota Blankenship, John Rodda, John Holter and Oscar Treulke, was a winner. They all did their parts well and without a hitch, especially Mrs. Comp, as a poor old washerwoman, with heaps of clothes to wash. They gave the spectators a big laugh. Ice-cream and candy bars were served.

We found the following clipping in a recent issue of the Omaha Daily Bee:—"Motorists in possession of all of their faculties for sight, hearing and speech find a safety challenge in the fact that 130 drivers in North Carolina are deaf and have driven two years without an accident."

The deaf of Immanuel Lutheran Church, in Benson, had a party in the basement of the Church, Friday evening, April 25th. A large crowd was present. They are raising funds to build a church of their own. Various games were played and refreshments sold.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Jelinek went to Plattsmouth Wednesday, April 30th, to attend the tenth wedding anniversary of Mr. Jelinek's sister and brother-in-law.

Nick Peterson has signed to play baseball with the Paxton-Vierlings team for the summer.

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On account of the death of Miss Virginia B. Gallaudet, after whom the association is named, this affair is postponed indefinitely.

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